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Smith, Lt. Governor

Acting President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on May 1, 1963.

Secretary of the Senate